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**Laura Taylor Swain**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1958  
 Education: Radcliffe 1979 BA; Harvard 1982 JD  
 Began Service: August 31, 2000  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Constance Baker Motley, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1982-1983)

**Government:** Member, State Board of Law Examiners, State of New York (1986-1996)

**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of New York (1996-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Debevoise & Plimpton (1983-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York; Federal Judges Association; Metropolitan Black Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; The New York State Bar Association

**Staff**

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**Chambers of District Judge Stephen C. Robinson**

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**Stephen C. Robinson**  
 District Judge

Education: Cornell 1979 BA, 1984 JD  
 Began Service: September 22, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Staff**

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**Chambers of District Judge P. Kevin Castel**

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**P. Kevin Castel**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: August 5, 1950  
 Education: St John's U (NY) 1972 BS, 1975 JD  
 Began Service: November 4, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk Kevin Thomas Duffy, United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (1975-1977)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP (1977-1983); Partner, Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP (1983-2003)

**Nonprofit:** Chair, Commercial and Federal Litigation Section, The New York State Bar Association (1993-1994); President, Federal Bar Council (2000-2002)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; New York Bar Foundation, The New York State Bar Association

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**Richard J. Holwell**  
 District Judge

Education: Villanova 1967 BA; Columbia 1970 JD; Cambridge 1971  
 Began Service: September 22, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Profession:** Private Practice (1971-2003)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **David L. Noll** ..... (212) 805-0256  
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**Chambers of District Judge Kenneth M. Karas**

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**Kenneth M. Karas**  
 District Judge

Began Service: October 2004  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Staff**

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 Term Expires: September 2009

**Chambers of District Judge Paul G. Gardephe** *continued*

**Legal Practice:** Chair, Litigation, Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP; Co-Chair, Appellate, Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP; Chair, White Collar Defense and Investigations, Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP

**Chambers of District Judge Cathy Seibel**

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**Cathy Seibel**  
 District Judge

Education: Princeton 1982 AB; Fordham 1985 JD  
 Began Service: July 30, 2008  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Chambers of Senior Judge Robert L. Carter**

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**Robert L. Carter**  
 Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917  
 Education: Lincoln U (PA) 1937 AB; Howard U 1940 LLB;  
 Columbia 1941 LLM  
 Began Service: 1972  
 Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon  
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, School of Law, New York University (1965-1970); Fellow, Columbia University Urban Center (1968-1969); Adjunct Professor, Yale University (1975-1977); Adjunct Professor, University of Michigan Law School (1977); Adjunct Professor, CUNY School of Law (1999-2000)

**Government:** Director, American Veterans Committee (1948-1949); Special Assistant U.S. Attorney, New York - Southern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1962)

**Legal Practice:** Assistant Special Counsel, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (1944-1956); General Counsel, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (1956-1968); Senior Partner, Poletti, Freidin, Prashker, Feldman & Gartner (1969-1972)

**Military Service:** 2nd Lieutenant, United States Air Corps (1941-1944)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Association of the Bar of the City of New York

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**Paul A. Crotty**  
 District Judge

Education: Notre Dame 1962 BA; Cornell 1967 JD  
 Began Service: August 1, 2005  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** Group President, New York and Connecticut, Verizon Communications Inc.

**Government:** Member, Lower Manhattan Development Corporation, State of New York

**Nonprofit:** Trustee, Polytechnic University

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Christopher K. Connolly** ..... (212) 805-6314  
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 Education: Fordham 2008 JD  
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**Richard J. Sullivan**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1964  
 Education: William & Mary 1986 BA; Yale 1990 JD  
 Began Service: August 2007  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Circuit Judge David M. Ebel, United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1990-1991)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, New York - Southern District, United States Department of Justice (1994-2005)

**Legal Practice:** Summer Associate, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP (1990); Summer Associate, McCutchen Doyle Brown & Enersen (1990); Associate, Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz (1991-1994)

**Staff**

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**Paul G. Gardephe**  
 District Judge

Note: On July 17, 2008, the Senate confirmed Paul G. Gardephe to be a District Judge for the Southern District of New York. Details on his swearing-in will be provided as they become available.

Education: Pennsylvania 1979 BA, 1979 MA; Columbia 1982 JD  
 Began Service: October 3, 2008

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit

**Corporate:** Vice President and Deputy General Counsel, Time Inc.

**Government:** Federal Prosecutor, New York - Southern District, United States Department of Justice